

Treasury Bills

Early Gold Fixing Under \$300 Ounce

LONDON (AP) — Confidence in the U.S. economy is recovering, from 2.731 Swiss francs to 2.737.

The dollar's resurgence is due primarily to signs that the United States is pulling out of the world recession faster than other industrial nations. Dealers said the strengthening U.S. trade position and higher U.S. interest rates are also boosting the greenback revival after five troubled years.

An attempt by South Africa — which produces 80 per cent of the non-Communist world's gold — to check the three-week slide in the price of the metal was only briefly successful. The price closed at \$135.30 Monday, after the Pretoria government devalued its currency, the rand, by 17.9 per cent, allowing it to withhold gold from the key Zurich market.

But the price fell back to \$130 an ounce in Zurich today. It was quoted at \$132.75 an ounce in London, down from \$136.00 Monday, and \$129 in Hong Kong, compared with \$135.73 Saturday. The Hong Kong market was closed Monday.

French francs in Paris, its highest mark since Dec. 13, 2.6785 marks in Frankfurt, its highest level there since last September, and 690 lire in Milan, the best price this year.

Closing prices Monday had been 4.5555 francs, 2.6588 marks and 684.90 lire.

Nat'l. OTC

NEW YORK (AP) — NASDAQ over-the-counter price indices.

Index	Close	Change
Composite	75.84	+0.33
Industrial	76.12	+0.25
Financial	75.58	+0.42
Insurance	76.12	+0.25
Utilities	75.58	+0.42
Transport	76.12	+0.25

NEW YORK (AP) — Most active over-the-counter stocks.

Symbol	Price	Change
IBM	124 1/4	+1/4
AT&T	42 1/2	+1/2
GE	31 1/4	+1/4
Westinghouse	24 1/4	+1/4
General Electric	31 1/4	+1/4

NEW YORK (AP) — Foreign exchange rates.

Country	Rate	Change
Swiss Franc	2.737	+0.006
French Franc	6.55	+0.005
German Mark	3.36	+0.005
Japanese Yen	360	+0.005

NEW YORK (AP) — Bond market.

Bond	Price	Change
10-year Treasury	101 1/4	+1/4
30-year Treasury	101 1/4	+1/4
10-year Corporate	101 1/4	+1/4
30-year Corporate	101 1/4	+1/4

NEW YORK (AP) — Commodity prices.

Commodity	Price	Change
Gold	\$135.30	+0.00
Crude Oil	\$12.50	+0.00
Wheat	\$2.50	+0.00
Corn	\$1.50	+0.00

NEW YORK (AP) — Stock market.

Index	Value	Change
Dow Jones	2,731	+10
S&P 500	1,234	+10
NASDAQ	75.84	+0.33

NEW YORK (AP) — Interest rates.

Rate	Value	Change
1-month T-bill	10 1/4	+1/4
3-month T-bill	10 1/4	+1/4
6-month T-bill	10 1/4	+1/4
1-year T-bill	10 1/4	+1/4

NEW YORK (AP) — Futures prices.

Futures	Price	Change
Crude Oil	\$12.50	+0.00
Wheat	\$2.50	+0.00
Corn	\$1.50	+0.00
Soybeans	\$3.50	+0.00

NEW YORK (AP) — Options prices.

Option	Price	Change
IBM Call	\$5.00	+0.00
AT&T Call	\$4.00	+0.00
GE Call	\$3.00	+0.00
Westinghouse Call	\$2.00	+0.00

NEW YORK (AP) — Dividend yields.

Dividend	Yield	Change
IBM	4.5%	+0.1%
AT&T	4.0%	+0.1%
GE	3.5%	+0.1%
Westinghouse	3.0%	+0.1%

NEW YORK (AP) — Earnings per share.

EPS	Value	Change
IBM	\$1.50	+0.05
AT&T	\$1.20	+0.05
GE	\$1.00	+0.05
Westinghouse	\$0.80	+0.05

NEW YORK (AP) — P/E ratios.

P/E Ratio	Value	Change
IBM	15.0	+0.5
AT&T	12.0	+0.5
GE	10.0	+0.5
Westinghouse	8.0	+0.5

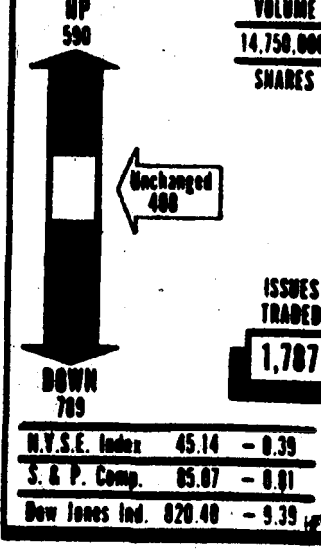
NEW YORK (AP) — Beta coefficients.

Beta	Value	Change
IBM	1.2	+0.1
AT&T	1.0	+0.1
GE	0.8	+0.1
Westinghouse	0.6	+0.1

NEW YORK (AP) — Market volume.

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The Market In Brief



Marks At Glance

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30-year	101 1/4	+1/4
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Stocks Fall Back Again

By CHET CURRIER
AP Business Writer

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Strike Closes Bourse

PARIS (AP) — The Paris Bourse (stock exchange) was closed today by a strike of clerks protesting the dismissal of eight clerks by a broker.

The gold and foreign exchange markets also were closed by the strike.

Declines outnumbered advances 801 to 505 among the 1,776 issues traded on the New York Stock Exchange.

Big Board volume came to 12.80 million shares, down from 14.75 million Monday.

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Rate	Value	Change
Prime rate	10 1/4	+1/4
Discount rate	9 1/4	+1/4
Federal funds market	10 1/4	+1/4
Commercial paper	10 1/4	+1/4
Corporate bonds	10 1/4	+1/4

Chicago Options Mart

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IBM	\$5.00	+0.00
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MUTUAL FUNDS

Fund	Value	Change
Fidelity	\$1.50	+0.05
Windsor	\$1.20	+0.05
Putnam	\$1.00	+0.05
Investment	\$0.80	+0.05
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Early Gold Fixing

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1 ounce	\$135.30	+0.00
100 ounces	\$13,530.00	+0.00
1,000 ounces	\$135,300.00	+0.00

Under \$300 Ounce

Ounce	Price	Change
1	\$135.30	+0.00
2	\$270.60	+0.00
3	\$405.90	+0.00

London Bullion Dealers

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